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COMMUNICATION SYSTEM WITH
DATA RATE SWITCHING
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Before a first Office Action in the above-identified application, please enter the following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add new claims 37-57, such that pending claims 26-34 and 37-57 are as follows:

26. A radio frequency data communication system for transmission of data collected by a multiplicity of mobile transceiver units, to a base transceiver, comprising:

a base transceiver selectively operable at a limited data rate and at an increased data rate;

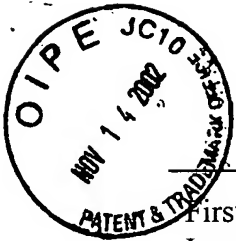
the multiplicity of mobile transceiver units selectively operable at the limited data rate and at the increased data rate;

said mobile transceiver units responsive to transmissions by said base transceiver, and having control means therein to evaluate the feasibility of responding at said increased data rate;

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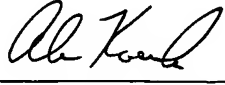
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1001	740	2001	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee
1006	330	2006	165	<input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee
1004	740	2004	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee
1005	160	2005	80	<input type="checkbox"/> Prov. Filing Fee
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Number Claims	Prior**	Extra	Fee from Below	Fee Paid
Total	<u>30</u>	-	<u>20</u>	= <u>10</u> x <u>18</u>	= <u>180</u>
Indep.	<u>7</u>	-	<u>3</u>	= <u>4</u> x <u>84</u>	= <u>336</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims				<u>*</u> = <u>*</u>	

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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple Dependent Claim
1204	84	2204	42	Reissue Independent Claims Over Original Patent
1205	18	2205	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	*
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	*
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	*
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For Filing a Request for Reexamination	*
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	*
1252	400	2252	200	Extension for reply within second month	*
1253	920	2253	460	Extension for reply within third month	*
1254	1,440	2254	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	*
1255	1,960	2255	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	*
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	*
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	*
1814	110	2814	55	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	*
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	*
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1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	*
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1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	*
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	*
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